

January 21, 2020

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Dear FOIA Officer:

I write in regards to activities and operations conducted at the Phelps Dodge Refining Site located in El Paso, Texas (the Site) between approximately 1850 and 2020. This Site is also identified as FRS IDs 110067042220, 110000466273, 110060337504, and 110028042534 and EPA Generator IDs TXD048924989, TXD007397144 and TXD007397144 in the EPA's Enforcement and Compliance History Online (ECHO) database. The Site is approximately 219 acres and includes the following addresses:

- 897 Hawkins Boulevard, El Paso, TX 79915
- 897 Hawkins Blvd, El Paso, TX 79915
- 850 Hawkins, El Paso, TX 79915
- N Loop Drive, El Paso, TX 79915
- 6999 North Loop Road, El Paso, TX 79915

A map, which outlines the Site boundaries in red, is attached for your reference.

Pursuant to the Federal Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552 *et seq.*, I respectfully request the opportunity to inspect and/or obtain copies of the following records (in electronic format, if possible) related to the Site:

- All environmental permits, including, but not limited to, air permits and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act solid and/or hazardous waste permits;
- All discharge permits and plans including stormwater, industrial wastewater, and sewer, as well as permitted outfall information;
- All correspondence between the U.S. EPA, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Phelps Dodge, and/or any other Site owner regarding the Site;
- All environmental investigation and remediation reports, including, but not limited to, site investigation reports, remedial investigation reports, and remedial action work plans;
- All notices of violations (NOVs);
- All spill and discharge incident reports;
- All records of storage and disposal of hazardous substances;
- All records pertaining to polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) or asbestos abatement; and
- Any other environmental reports in the U.S. EPA's possession, including, but not limited to, Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) Tier II Reporting.

I agree to pay reasonable search and duplication fees for the processing of this request in an amount not to exceed \$200.00. If additional fees in excess of that amount are required, please notify me prior to incurring those expenses. If my request is denied in whole or in part, please cite each specific exemption



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you feel justifies the refusal to release the information and notify me of the appeal procedures available to me under the law.

Thank you for your assistance. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
Executed on January 21, 2020.

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